

ABOUT ME



Hello! My name is Paige Johnson, and I am currently employed as the Business Development & Operations Manager at Defiance County Economic Development. My job is to help the business in Defiance County continue to grow and thrive through allocating grants and other incentives or through creating programs like this mentorship program. I started this program because I too once relied on my peers for advice and knowledge. At only 23 years old, I have worked my way up the ladder and created this program so I can help others do the same.

My educational background is that I graduated from Fairview High School and Four County Career Center. I attended Northwest State Community College and The University of Toledo. I have a bachelor's degree in Business Administration & Marketing as well as an associate degree in accounting. Even though I am currently working in economic development, it is not how I started. My very first job was working on a dairy farm milking cows and bottle feeding the feeder calves. After that, I worked as an accountant for 5 years before I changed my career path.

Some personal things about me are that I have a 5 year old daughter and currently live in Archbold Ohio. My birthplace was Warsaw Indiana where I lived for 8 years. Also, snow skiing, photography, and wake surfing are just a few of my hobbies.

Fun Fact: My top bucket list item is to swim with sharks!
